

## Quaint Old World Custom Observed in America



The city of Holland, Mich., most of whom 15,000 inhabitants are of Dutch descent, put on Dutch costumes on the occasion of the annual Tulip Festival and turned out in a body to scrub the streets in the good old Dutch car. The youngsters with the milk-cart, drawn by a dog, are Troy Bequet and Bobby Gross.

## ORBITARY—MEADOWS

On Wednesday morning, March 16, 1932, at 3 o'clock, Mrs. Goss me left to take the soul of Mrs. Anna Meadows to that eternal resting place where there is neither pain nor death.

Mrs. Meadows was the daughter of William Goss, who died in 1918.

She was married to M. A. Meadows on August 10, 1880.

To this union were born four sons and six girls.

She is a widow and her husband having preceded her to the grave.

She had been confined to her bed for nine weeks, having been ailing from various pains and had not fear death.

She was a conscious to death and always greeted her children and friends with a smile and a kind word.

Rev. C. O. Heims and C. A. Johnson conducted her funeral and "Ave Maria" was sung.

In 1881 she joined the Baptist Church and was a member at King's

sheath. She was an ever faithful member, being true to her profession of faith.

She was laid to rest Thursday at the Spring cemetery, Revs. Heims and John

conducting the funeral.

Large numbers of relatives and friends were present to pay their last tribute of respect.

Mrs. Meadows was the home

of Rev. W. V. Meadows, now

Kingston, during her illness at her death, all of her children being present when she passed away.

This home is darkened and lonely, the gloom seen only by those

able, but we are compelled to submit to God's will, and in this hour of sorrow we are comforted.

"Not in vain but thinking does the Lord grieve us and the Lord takes away."

Now we fully know why God took her from us, but in His wisdom and love He saw fit to take

the best of her.

She is now in the hands of

the Lord, and we are comforted by frequent visits.

For planting in Alabama gardens during the early summer, Mr. Bowden has Saturday on his way to Birmingham to visit their son, Prof. J. H. Coulter, who is at the head of the chemistry department at Birmingham-Southern College.

Mr. Bowden was pastor of the Elba Methodist Church for

two years, and a year ago he

was called to the pastorate of the

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